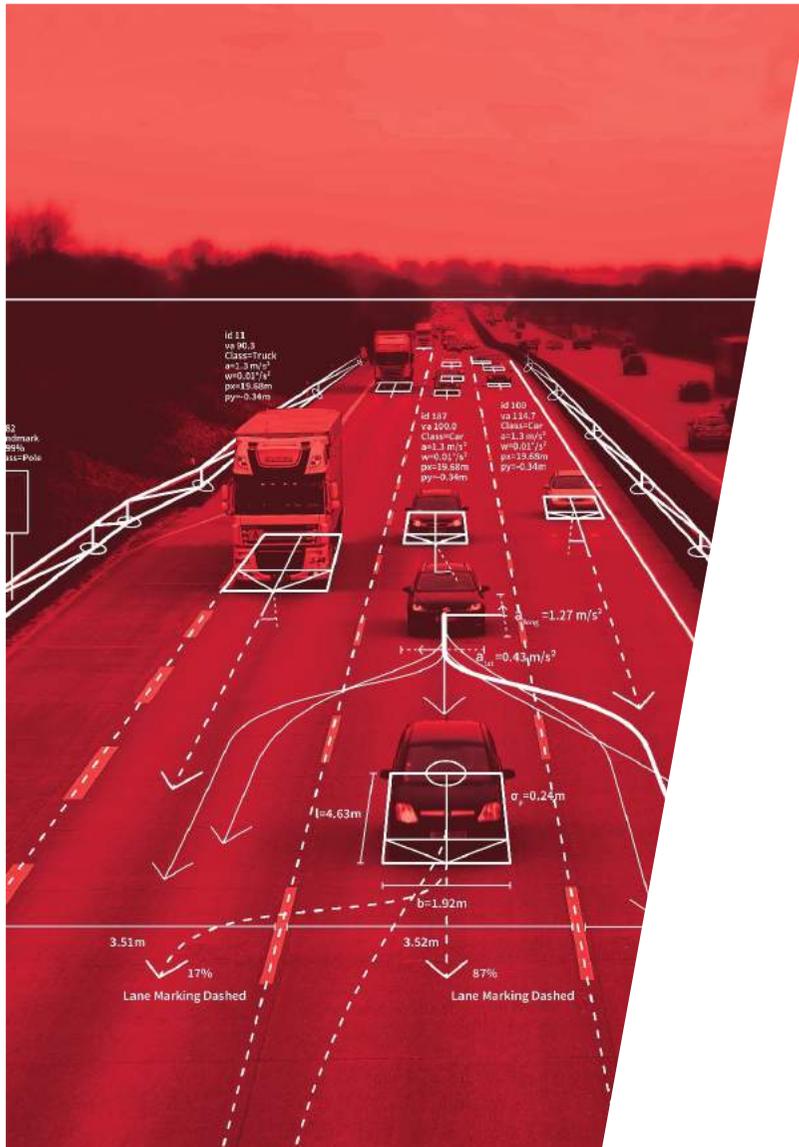




# SOLID STATE LIDAR TECHNOLOGY: A RESPONSE TO CURRENT CHALLENGES IN AUTONOMOUS DRIVING

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# INTRODUCTION TO IBEO AUTOMOTIVE



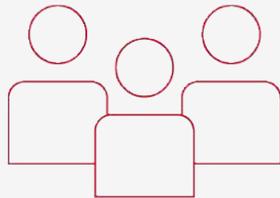
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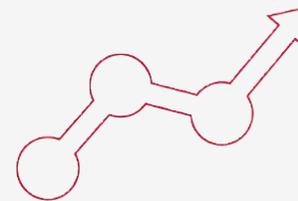
Headquarters based in Hamburg, Germany  
Offices in Eindhoven, Netherlands  
Coming soon: USA and China



Worldwide technology leader in the field of LiDAR sensors, associated products and software tools

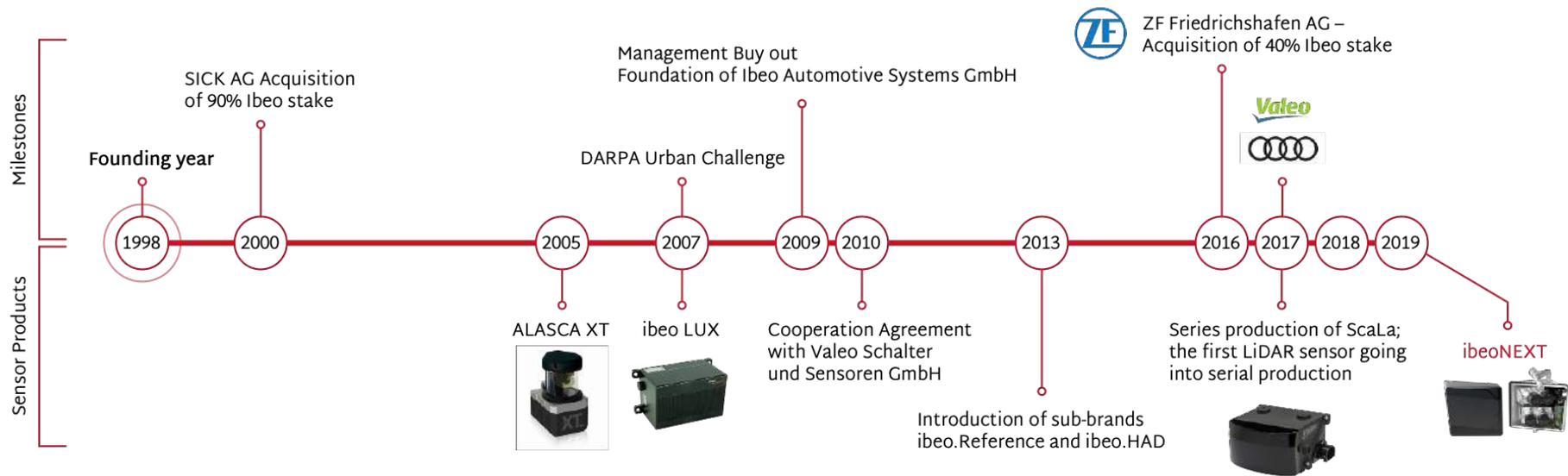


350+ employees in 2019  
Amongst Hamburg's best employers 2019



Sales increase from 2014 to 2018 – 342%

# A 20 YEARS SUCCESS STORY



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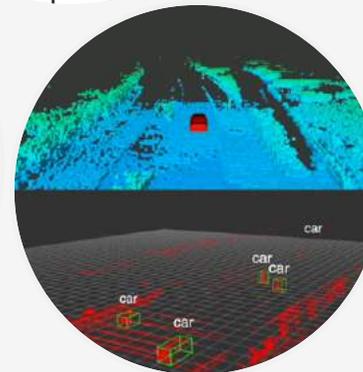


Autonomous Driving  
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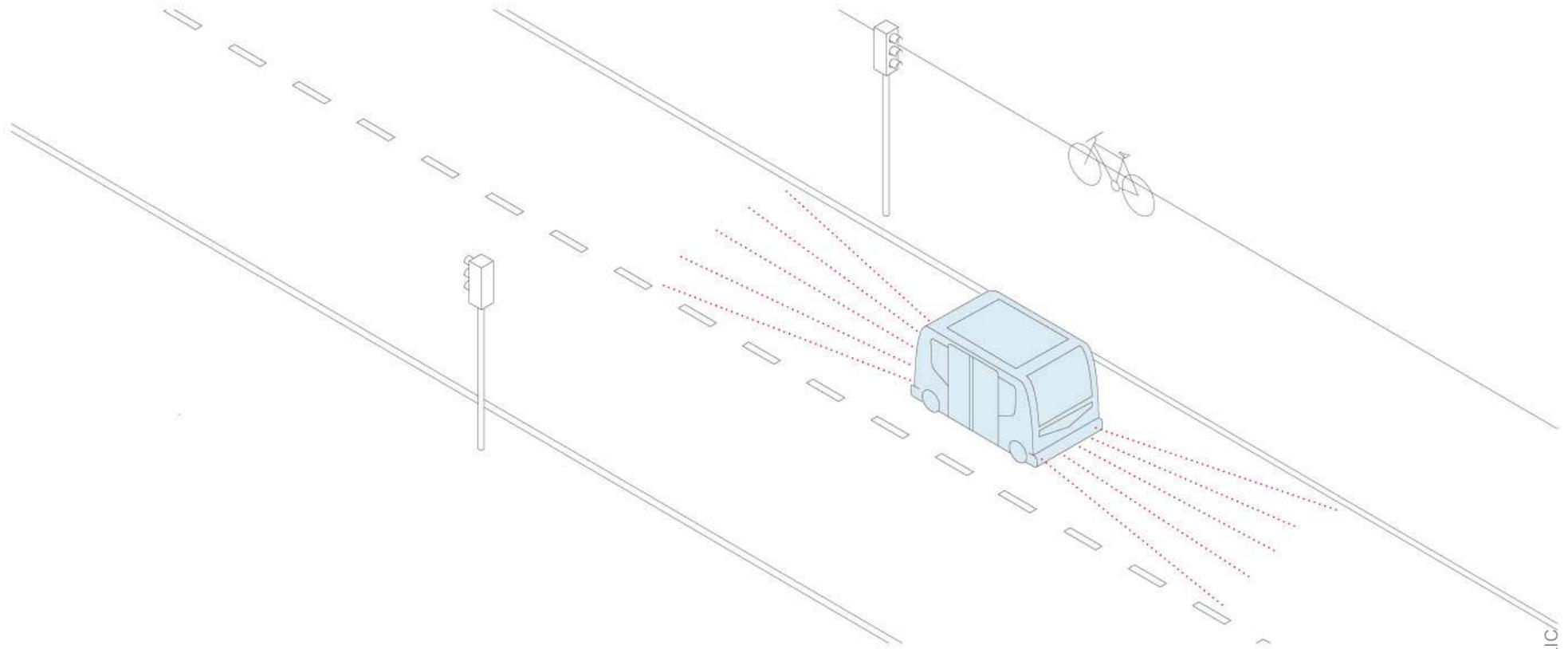
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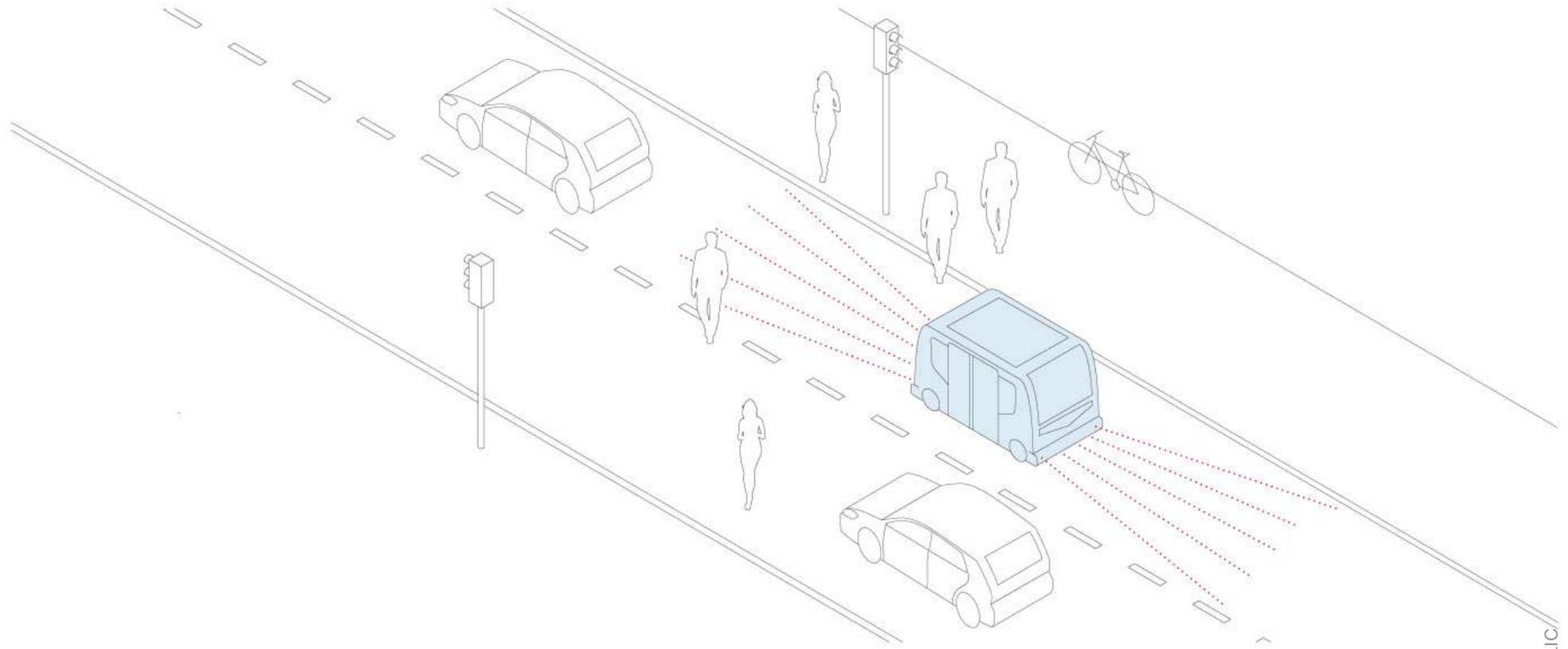


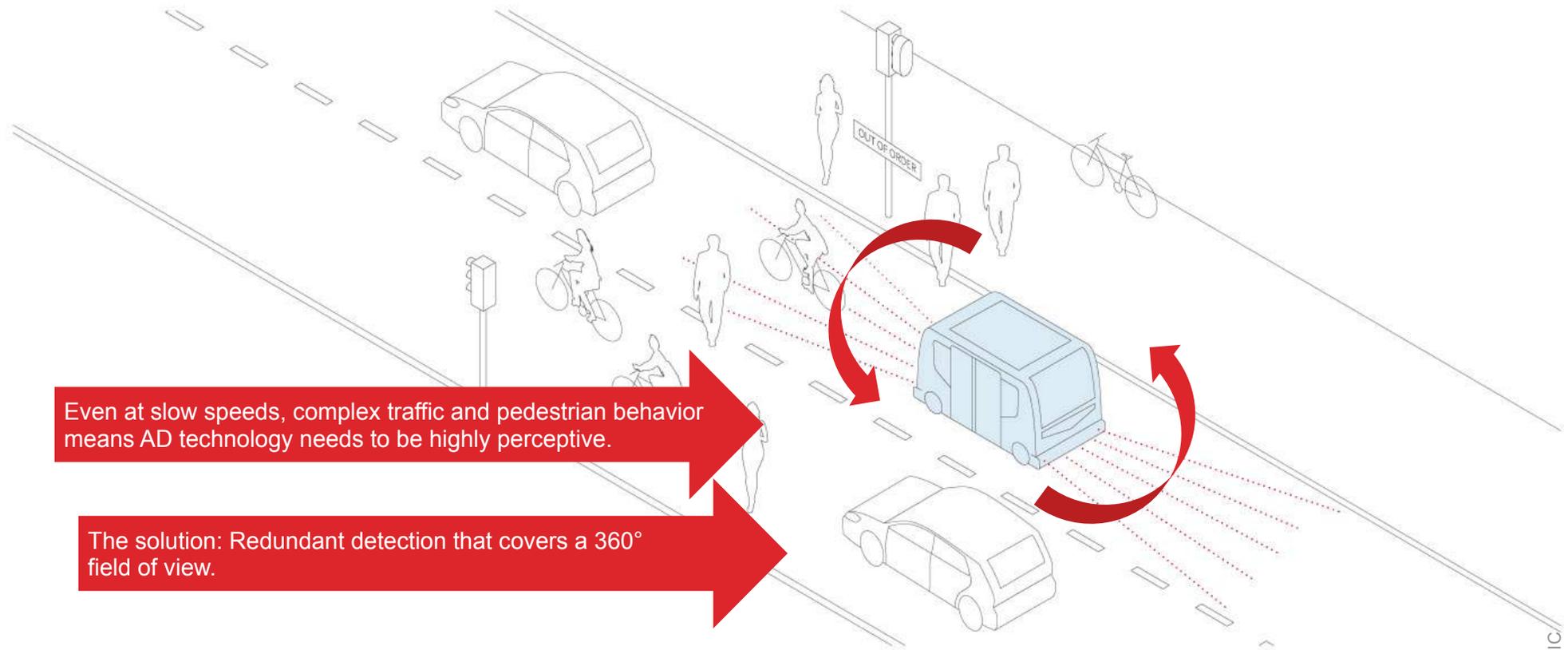
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**CHALLENGE 1:  
AN AUTONOMOUS PASSENGER TRANSPORT FINDS  
NAVIGATING MORE DIFFICULT THAN WOULD BE EXPECTED**







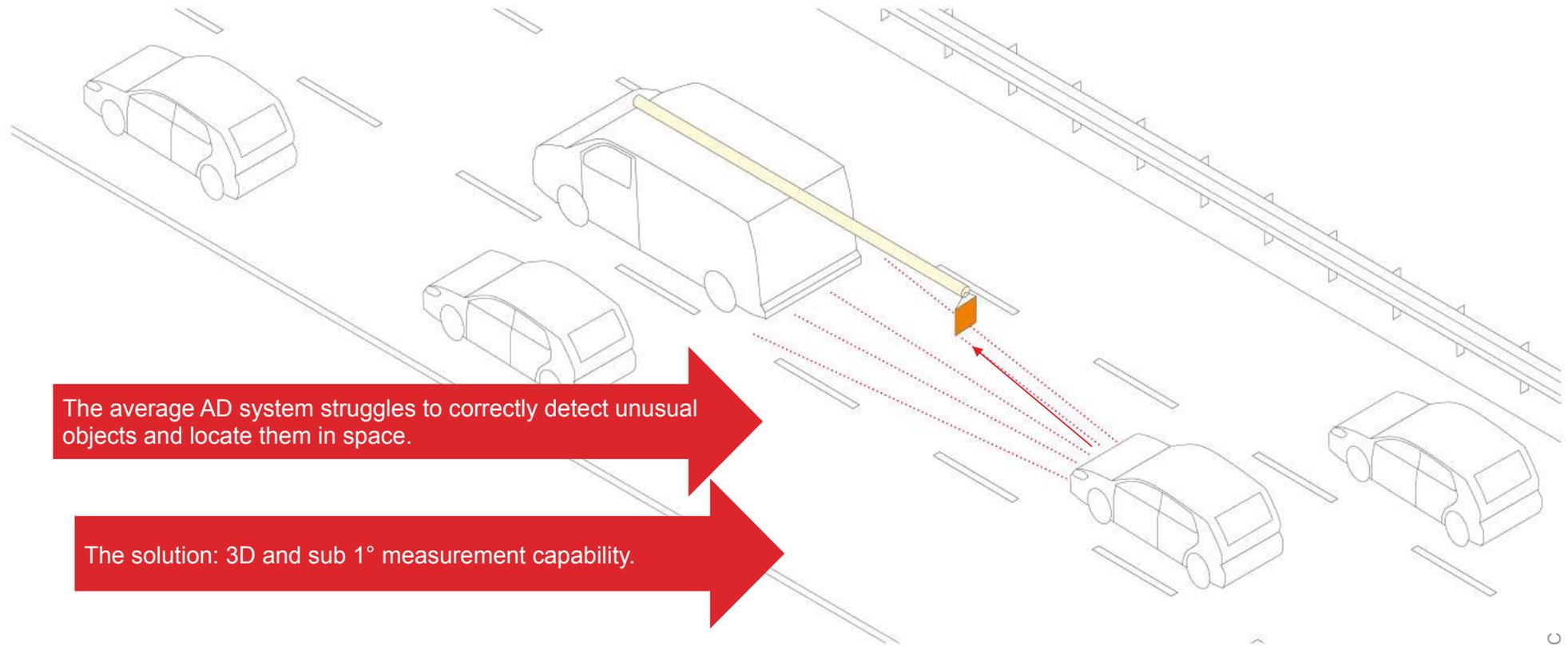


Even at slow speeds, complex traffic and pedestrian behavior means AD technology needs to be highly perceptive.

The solution: Redundant detection that covers a 360° field of view.

**CHALLENGE 2:  
TRUCKS WITH OVERHANGING LOAD ON HIGHWAY**



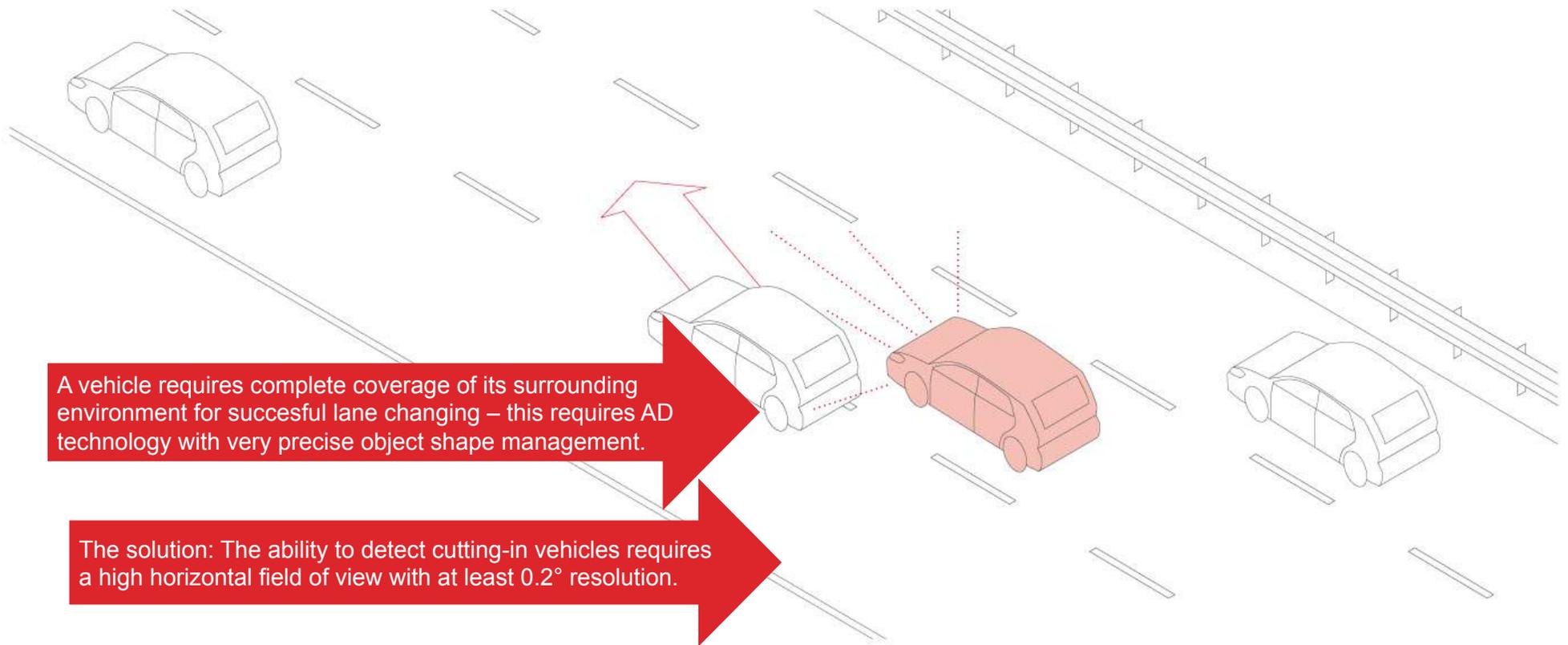


The average AD system struggles to correctly detect unusual objects and locate them in space.

The solution: 3D and sub 1° measurement capability.



**CHALLENGE 3:  
LANE CHANGE MANEUVERS ON A HIGHWAY**

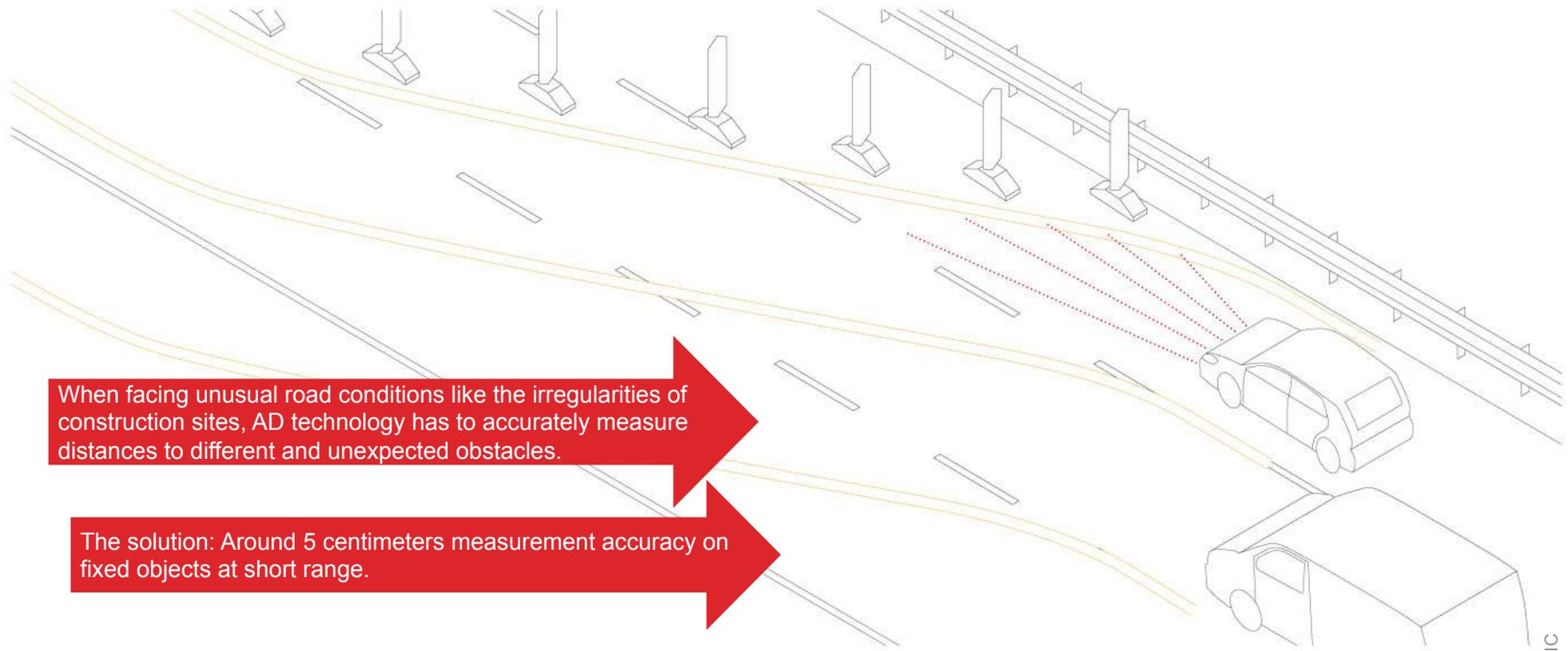


A vehicle requires complete coverage of its surrounding environment for successful lane changing – this requires AD technology with very precise object shape management.

The solution: The ability to detect cutting-in vehicles requires a high horizontal field of view with at least  $0.2^\circ$  resolution.

**CHALLENGE 4:  
A CONSTRUCTION SITE ON THE HIGHWAY IS A TRICKY  
SCENARIO**



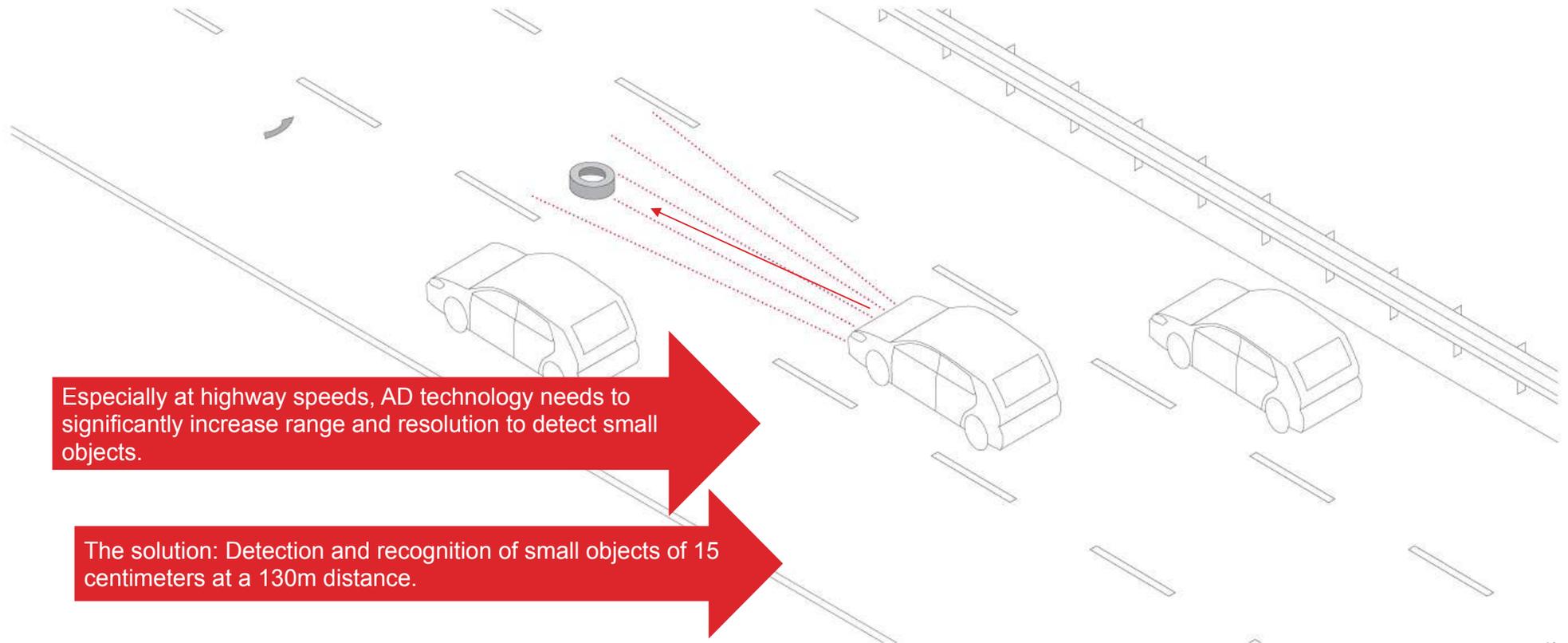


When facing unusual road conditions like the irregularities of construction sites, AD technology has to accurately measure distances to different and unexpected obstacles.

The solution: Around 5 centimeters measurement accuracy on fixed objects at short range.

**CHALLENGE 5:  
DETECTING A SMALL OBJECT ON THE HIGHWAY**





Especially at highway speeds, AD technology needs to significantly increase range and resolution to detect small objects.

The solution: Detection and recognition of small objects of 15 centimeters at a 130m distance.

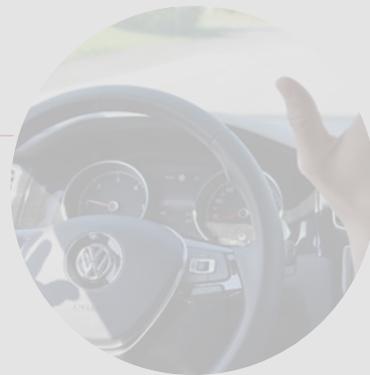


HOW CAN WE ADDRESS THESE AUTONOMOUS DRIVING CHALLENGES, AND MANY MORE?

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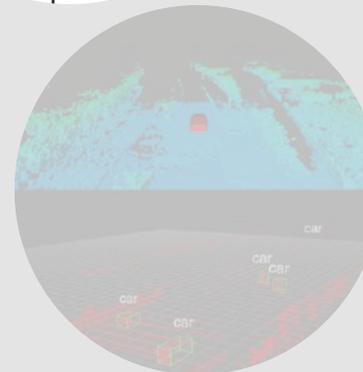


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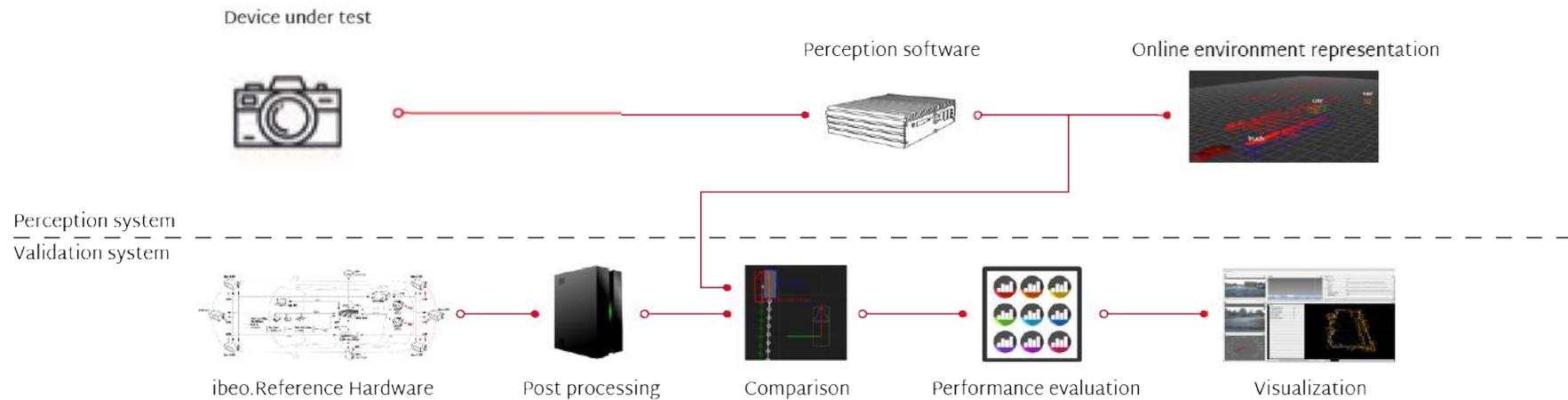
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# REFERENCE CHALLENGE: CUSTOMIZED VALIDATION SOLUTION FOR ANY USE CASE



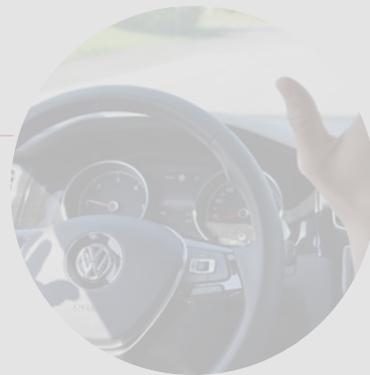
## REF technology requirements:

- Small, configurable sensor adjustable to use case
- Accurate recording of the complete environment
- High-resolution 4D point cloud including reflectivity information
- Customizable in range, resolution, field of view, and the overall number of sensors

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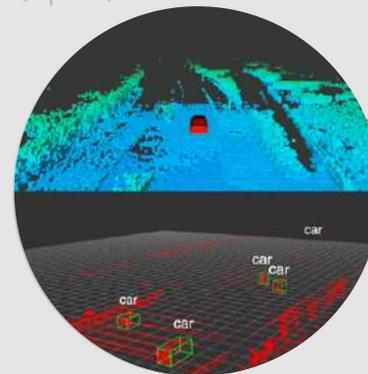


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# OUR RESPONSE: IBEONEXT 4D SOLID STATE LIDAR

Together with a radar and camera, redundant detection that covers a 360° field of view.

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4D with 0.1° resolution measurement capability.

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The ability to detect cutting-in vehicles requires a high horizontal field of view with a 0.1° resolution.

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Around 5 centimeters detection accuracy on fixed objects.

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Detection and recognition of small objects of 15 centimeters at a 130m distance.

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The ability to create highly accurate 4D representation of the environment.



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Solid state – no moving parts.

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Modular concept: same electronics and different optics support a wide range of applications from ADAS up to AD L5.

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Mechanical design can be adapted to customer needs to fulfill e.g. requirement concerning packaging.

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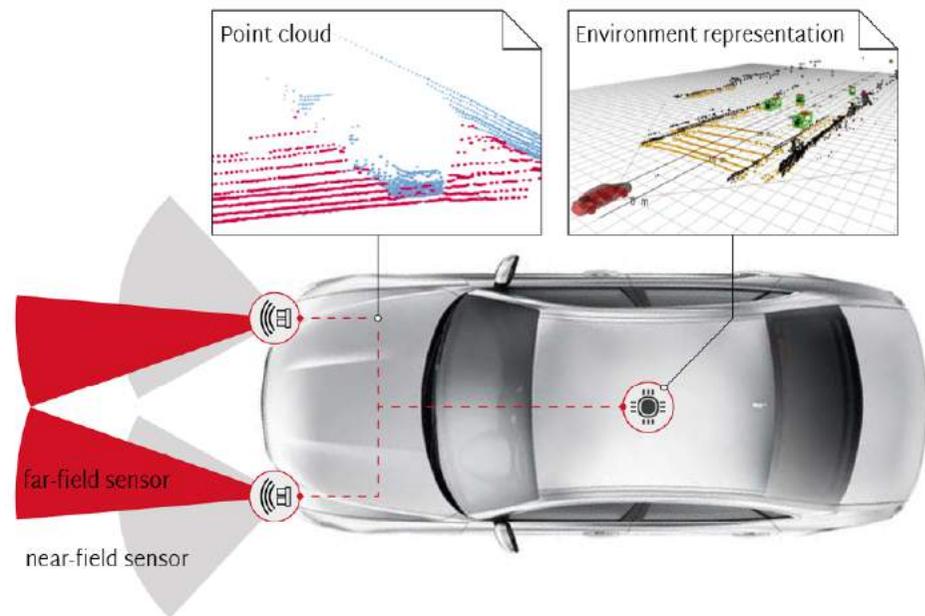
Small size and weight.

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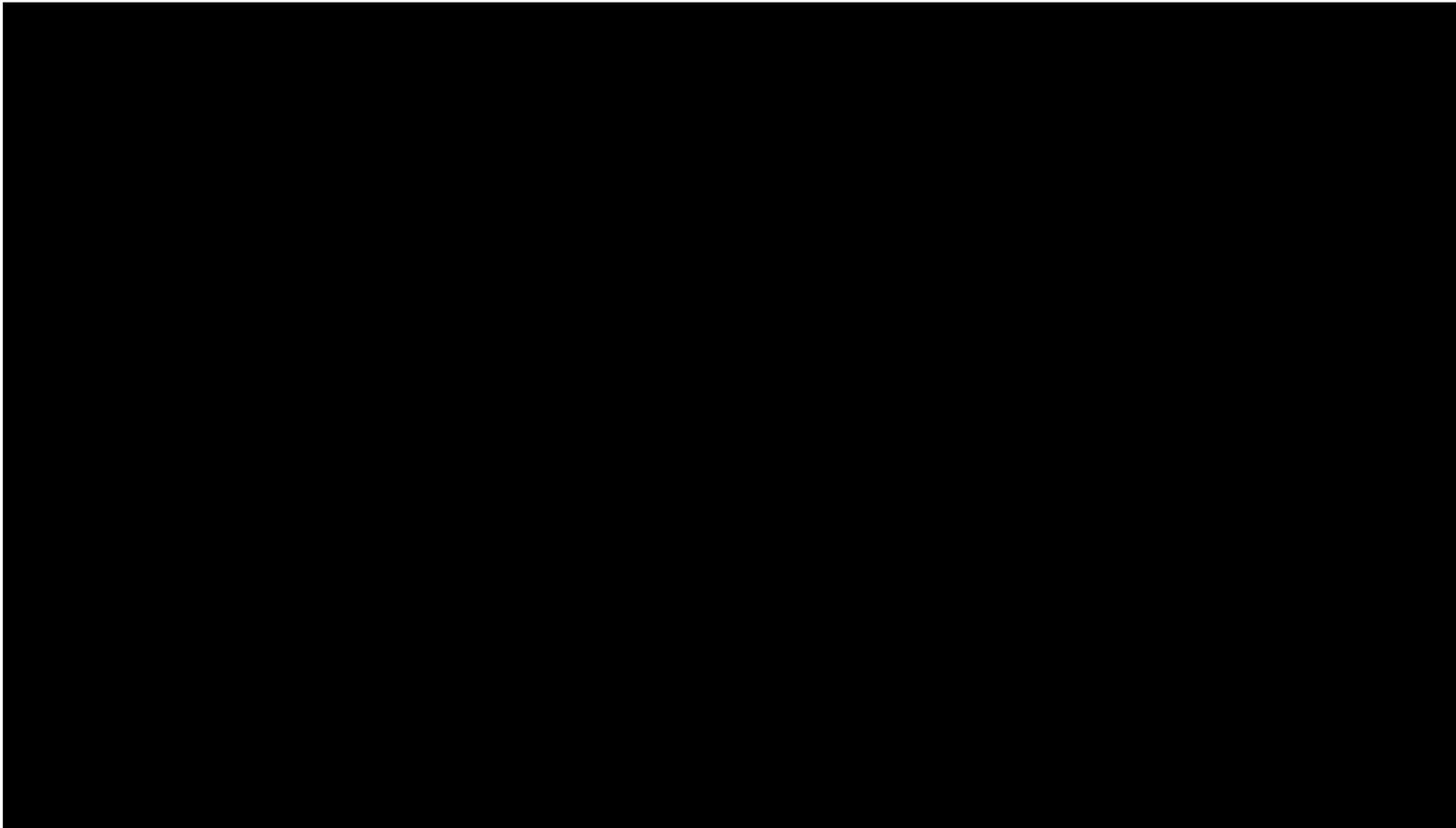
4D output: 3D point cloud & intensity image.

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Manufacturability at automotive standards.



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**THANK YOU!**